English

A, His Wife, Known to the
y World as Anna Stransky,
her Daughter Arrested by the
an Police on a Charge of Aidand Abeting Revolutionists—
hig a Grandson of the Late

16th Vice President on the Ticket of 1880—An Aggressive Champion Against Child Labor—The Party Kept Under Arrest and Their Quarters Searched.

St. Petersburg. Oct. 20.—William English Walling, of Indianapolis, Ind., his wife and his sister-in-law, Miss Rose Stransky, were arrested in this eral members of the Finnish Progres-alve Party. They were still being held at the gendarme headquarters at from the top of the steel cage by an a late hour to-night. A representa-tive of the Amreican embassy appear-ed at the headquarters in their behalf, but he could take no action until to-

morrow morning. Kellog Durland, another American was taken into custody but later he was released. No evidence upon which to hold Mr. Durland was found.

Mr. Walling is a wealthy socialist. He is a grandson of the late William P. English, who was vice presidential eock ran for the American presidency. For several years past Mr. Walling has taken an active interest in the Russian struggle and this is the third time he has visited Russia. FINS ALSO ARRESTED.

have been associating were also ar-rested. In the party there are three men and one woman. The woman is Helsingfors University. The Fins have been in St. Petersburg for several days. They have been under close police observation all the time. Yesterday and to-day the Fins, Mr. and Mrs. Walling and Miss Stransky dined together and to-night the entire party was taken into custody. The arrest took place at Hotel De-

franc, one of the leading hostelries of this city. The rooms of the Wall ing party and the Fins were thorough-ly searched by a colonel of gendarmes and several assistants. This search lasted several hours. All the baggage and effects of the Walling party and the four Fins were opened and the gendarmes took possession of a large quantity of books and documentary

KEPT UNDER ARREST. Mr. Walling and his wife, who is known to the literary world as Anna Stransky, and Miss Stransky, were taken to the gendarme headquarters because all the prisons are over-crowded and no other place to con-fine them could be found. Mr. Walling is accused by the police of farnishing financial aid to the revolution, though this charge is not the fourdation for his arrest to-night.

Mr. Walling is 30 years old. He is sul at Edinburgh. He is a graduate of the University of Chicago. He in-herited a considerable fortune from the estate of his grandfather, William H. English, of Indianapolis.

A CHILD LABOR AGITATOR. Mr. Walling is described as having been a quiet, reserved man until he was aroused on the subject of child Then he forced himself to the front as an aggressive champion against children working in factories. His energies and his means were enlisted in this cause. Mrs. Walling, who was Miss Anna.

Stransky, is a graduate of Lefand Stanford University, California. She. is a Jewess, 25 years old, and was born in Russia. She has lived in the United States since childhood.

PLACE OF NEXT CONVENTION.

Republican National Convention to

Washington, Oct. 20,-The Repub the purpose of deciding upon the place gyroplane descended gently. lican national convention. Formal tudinal flight has not yet been to-night by Harry S. New, acting will be easy to make 75 kilometres chairman of the Republican national an hour.

Acting Chairman New, who arrived here to-night, held a conference with Elmer Dover, secretary of the committee, at which time for holding the meeting of the committee was decided upon. The official call for the meeting will be issued within a day or

According to Mr. New a number of cities have made formal application to secure the next convention, among them being Chicago. Kansas City, St. Louis, Denver, Seattle, Atlantic City and Pittsburg. From Milwaukee and St. Paul also have come inquiries as to their prospects for securing the convention but Mr. New gaid that at this time he was not com-According to Mr. New a number of said that at this time he was not committed to any particular city,

FIFTH VICTIM OF RUDD WRECK. The Injuries of John Lineberry, of Randleman, Prove Fatal, Making the Second Person to Die in the ital-Five Able to Leave For

Their Homes. Special to The Observer. -This morning Greensbore, Oct. 26.—This morning at 11 o'clock death claimed Mr. John Lineberry, of Randleman, as another victim of the wreck Thursday night frain No. 34, which collided head-with a freight train at Rudd. This makes a total of five deaths resulting from the accident. Of the nineteen injured people taken to St. Leo's Hospital from the scone of the wreck, G. W. Whitsett. pital from the scone of the wreck, two have died and the following have recovered sufficiently to go home, leav-ing the hospital yesterday and to-day: Messrs. John W. and Mulla Gibson nd W. O. Wemple and Capt June P. as, of Danville, Va., and Mr. Charles A. Kindley, of Gastonia. spital authorities report this after-on that those remaining there for

morning for burial.

sent to Randleman do-morrow

Kurana will be hunched at Train Runs Down Trolley Car, Killing of Japan will be present at the cere

IN MANDS OF RUSSIAN POLICE TOM UPCHURCH HANGS HIMSELF

Relieves the Sherin of Langing Him-ant Taking of Life by Hanging Him-self in His Cell, a Wire Being Uses as the Instrument of Death—Deer Bone Some Time Saturday Night the Dead Body, a Most Gruesom Sight, Being Found Yesterda Was Sight. ecial to The Observe

city to-night by a force of gendarmes nesday, hanged himself in his cell at because of their association with sevjumped off his bunk. The wire was embedded in the flesh of his neck out and a friend of Mr. Walling, who of sight, although the skin had not has been in St. Petersburg gathering material for a series of lectures, also fully swollen, bulged from his head, and when discovered the body was stiff and cold. The wire was just long enough to permit the ends of his toes to touch the floor and in his death agony the skin and flesh had been literally worn away in the ef-fort to gain a footing. The body presented a horrible sight and with it a most sickening odor. It was taken down and laid out in a room in the front part of the jail, where it will be kept until the people from the sec-tion of county in which he committed The Fins with whom the Wallings the awful crime may have the opportunity to view it and satisfy them-selves that he is really dead.

Now that Upchurch is dead, there wife of Professor Malmburg, of are open expressions of pleasure that listingfors. University. The Fins the sheriff has been spared a diseverything that he could possibly use to injure himself was removed from "A committee of the clearing house his cell, and it is a mystery how he has examined the several banks of procured the wire. The gallows on the association that have been under claiming the body and the disposition of it is now unknown.

"GYROPLANE" THE NEWEST.

Machine. Paris, Oct. 20 .- A new principle for

air" machines has been employed in some recent experiments and gives promise of large results, Instead of using planes on the box kite prineiple driven by a vertical propeller, as is the case in the aeroplanes of Santos Dumont and other experiment- tile National directors, E. R. Thomas, ers up to this time, rotary horizontal one of the directors, announced that a son of Dr. Willoughby Walling, of planes are used. In other words the he had disposed of all his holdings in proscopic principle is employed and the Hamilton bank the machine is called the "gyroplane." The theory is that by the employment of horizontal propellers the machine can be easily lifted and lowered after the fashion of the old "helicoptere" toy longitudinal motion being obtained by the force of gravitation by allowing the machine to dip and glide on its planes in the same way that heavy birds soar. Count de Lambert believes that this is the true solution of aerial flight, but the honor of constructing the first machine on this principle be longs to Louis Breguet. He has built a machine in the general form of a St. Andrew's cross, each arm having at its extremity eight revolving paddies er propellers slightly inclined. These 32 paddles present a total survolved by a 40-horse power motor at the centre of the cross where the pilot sits.

The total weight of the machine is Meet in Washington December 6th 578 kilograms. In the preliminary to Choose the City and Fix the trials the machine left the ground instantly when the motor was set in motion and was easily sustained in the lican national committee will meet in air with 78 revolutions a minute this city December 6th and 7th for When the motor was slowed down the Perfect Longiannouncement to this effect was made tempted but the inventor thinks it

REV. JOHN L. WHITE CALLED.

Congregation of First Baptist Church of every local bank with which he of Greensboro Extends Invitation to was connected. He gave out the fol-Texas Minister to Become Its Pas-lowing formal statement: tor-Bride-Elect to Be Given Two Receptions This Week.

Special to The Observer. made its reports through Mr. Lee H. Battie, the chairman, at the close of this
morning's service. Mr. Battle stating that
the committee had communicated with
Dr. White and had received from him an
encouraging letter. It is very probable
that he will accept the call. Dr. White
is a native of Salem, this State, and is
considered one of the ablest ministers in
the Southern Baptist Church. He was educated at Wake Forest and served as pastor of the Baptist churches of Elizabeth
City Durham and Asheville before going
to Macon, Ga., a number of years ago.
From Macon he went to his present
charge.

A \$150,000 Fire at Pittsburg. Pittsburg, Oct. 20 .- Fifteen fire ibson men narrowly escaped death or ne P. serious injury to-day when the plant Mr. of the Pittsburg Stove & Range The Company and the lumber yard of after- the A. S. Schwerd Porch Column Company, of Allegheny, were guite by fire. The loss is \$150,000. Th treatment are getting along very well, by fire. The loss is \$150,000. The The remains of Mr. Lineberry will fire started in the lumber yard and was caused, it is said, by a spark

> men just in time to save them from being crushed by falling walls |.

Fire Chief Hunter warned the fire

This new warship is 450 feet on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & long has a displacement of 14,500 tons ton Railroad this afternoon at Harriand 22,500 horse-power. Her arson and State avenues crashed into mament consists of four 12-inch, 6 a crowded John street car, killing 10-inch, 6 6-inch and 6 15-centimetre Mrs. J. W. Storey and injuring guns.

AMERICANS UNDER ARREST NEGRO CHEATS GALLOWS SETH MILLIKEN ELECTED

MERCANTILE NATIONAL'S HEAD.

he Heinze, Morse and Thomas Interests Eliminated From the Banking
Organizations of New York City,
According to Statement Made by
the Clearing House Association—
Finds All the Banks Solvent—Special Meeting of the Board of Directors Elects Milliken to Succeed F.
Augustus Heinze—Two New Vice
Presidents Also Put In—Action Taken yesterday Will Relieve All Uaeasiness So Far as the Banks Are
Concerned.

New York, Oct. 20 .- At a late hou to-night The Associated Press was assured by the clearing house commit-tee that the Heinze, Morse and Thomas interests had been eliminated from the banking organizations of New York City and in the light of this fact, the clearing house association announced its readiness to lend all necessary aid to any of the banks which have been under suspicion, the clearing house investigation having established their solvency. It is believed that this action will prevent any crisis in New York banking cirals. It is a solution to board, is as follows:

Oct. 22, Tuesday: Leave Asheville at 8:45 a.m. Arrive Lake Toxaway any crisis in New York banking cirals. Take lunch at Toxaway and in afternoon drive into South.

presidency of the National Bank of Oct. 23, Wednesday: Diversidency of the National Bank of North America, succeeding Alfred H. Toxaway, taking lunch along. This gives a fine view of almost the entire section of the Blue Ridge

of slow liquidation. At a special meeting of the board

elected president of the bank to succeed F. Augustus Heinze, resigned. At night at Colonial Hotel. the same time William Skinner and Oct. 25, Friday: Leave Knoxville the same time William Skinner and G. H. Milliken were elected addi-Mional ice presidents, G. H. Milliken being added to the board of directors.

MR. SHERRER'S STATEMENT. The clearing house committee met agreeable job and that the town next Wednesday will be spared the presture of a morbid mob to gloat in the excitement of the hanging. Upchurch was carefully watched and ciation, gave out the following statement:

which he was to have been executed criticism and find them solvent. The had been built and now stands in the clearing house committee has decided jail enclosure. His relatives have not to render them such assistance to as yet signified their intention of meet their deposits as the committee may think necessary."

Neither the members of the board of Mercantile National nor the clearing house committee would add to these announcements. The statement A New Principle For Aerial Navigation of Mr. Sherrer is, however, taken to -A Frenchman Trying to Solve the mean that the clearing house com-Problem With a Heavier-Than-Air mittee is perfectly satisfied with the reorganization of the Mercantile National and will see that that bank is enabled to meet any crisis that the perial navigation with "heavier-thanwidely published stories about its condition, following the collapse of the Heinze corner in United Copper, may force it to face.

SOLD TO A SYNDICATE. After the meeting of the Mercan composed of men interestd in the bank. This action had been expected Mr. Milliken, who heads the new list of officers of the Mercantile National, is one of the best known of New York capitalists. He has been for some time a member of the board He is a of directors of the bank. rich man and a member of the firm of Deering, Milliken & Co. He is an officer or director in a score of Northern woolen companies and Southern cotton companies. He is well known in business circles and is said to be the choice of the clearing house committee for the position to which he was elected to-day.

William Skinner, who was elected vice president of the bank, is president of the William Skinner Manuface of 35 square metres and are re-facturing Company and is a director in a large number of railroad companies, including the New York, New Haven & Hartford. G. H. Milliken is a son of Seth M. Milliken.

WILL RELIEVE UNEASINESS. While none of those connected with the Mercantile National or the clearing house would discuss any phase of the matter to-day, it is known that it is the belief of the clearing house committee that the election of Mr. Milliken as head of the bank will relieve uneasiness in the financial district and the action was taken to-day that it might have a quieting effect on the market before the stock ex-

change opens to-morrow. Charles W. Morse announced to-day his resignation from the directorate

"Owing to my connection with the affairs of the Mercantile National Bank and the seemingly disturbed condition of the public mind, I have determined, without the slightest auggestion or solicitation on the part of any one, that my resignation from the various boards of directors of the other banks with which I am asso-clated might be for the best interests of the depositors, stockholders and others interested in those banks. Accordingly I have this day tendered my resignation in all the banks in which I have been serving as direc-

KILLED BY ELECTRIC CURRENT. Robert Hedgepeth, an Employe of Ca-tawba Power Company, While at Work on a Line, Meets Death*by

Special to The Observer

Fort Mill, S. C., Oct. 20.-Rober Hedgepeth, a young white man in the employ of the Catawba Power Comthe line at 8 o'clock this morning. The accident occurred near the power dam, three miles from here. The man d climbed a pole to make some placed himself in such position that the current leaped from the wire to his body and formed a circuit with the ground. It is also said the deed suffered from a weak-heart and this was partially responsible for his death. He lingered for an hour or more after the accident and in the more after the accident and in the meantime a companion, who was with him, took the spurs off the injured man and climbed up and finished the work. An inquest was held over the body this afternoon by Magistrate Mc-Elhaney, of this place. The young man was from Newport, this county,

American Ambassador Invited to Eat

Oct. 20.—Thomas O'Brien, the American ambassador to Japan has been invited to take lunchmark of favor and its purpose is to so emphasize the desire for friendly rela-tions between Japan and the United he

FINE MOUNTAIN TRIP.

The itinerary of the congressional arty which will assemble in Ashe-lie to-day for a trip through the ppalachian mountains is a most in-eresting one. Those who have signiteresting one. Those who have signified their purpose to go are Senators Overman, Simmons, Latimer and Fragier and Representatives Webb, Hackett, Thomas, Crawford, Small, Lever, Hale, Sturgis, Lamb and Legare. The trip was mapped out by and will be made under the supervision of the forest service of the United States. Department of Agriculture, and will be for the purpose of giving these members of Congress the opportunity of seeing exactly the conditions ob-taining in the Southern Appalachian

Inn, and in afternoon drive into South William F. Havemeyer, one of its Carolina mountains, returning to the

National Bank will undergo a process Mountains. Return to the Inn at night.

Oct. 24. Thursday: Leave Toxaway of directors of the Mercantile National at 6 a. m. Arrive Asheville at 11 Bank to-day, Seth M. Milliken was a. m. Leave Asheville at 11:30 and arrive Knoxville at 3;15. Stop over

at 7:15 a. m. on Louisville & Nashville, taking breakfast at station before starting. Train carries a parlor ear, and the ride is a pleasant and interesting one. Pass entirely through proposed Cumberland Reserve, reaching Corbin, Ky., at 11:20. Lunch at Wilbur's, Take Louisville & Nashville train at 3:35 for Middleboro, again passing through proposed reserve, Arrive 6 o'clock. Stop over night at Middleboro Hotel. Oct. 26, Saturday: Leave Middle-

boro at 7:30 a. m. on Southern and arrive Knoxville at 10:15. Lunch at Colonial Hotel. Leave Knoxville on Southern at 2:30 p. m., and arrive Johnson City at 6:02 p. m. Stop over night at Carnegle Hotel.

Oct. 27, Sunday: Leave Johnson City at 9:30 on E. T. & U. N. C., and go to Pineola, arriving about noon. Inn. The surrounding country lies on the head-waters of the Catawba river and is part of the proposed reserves.
Oct. 28, Monday: Drive from Pineola to Blowing Rock, going up Grand-father mountain on the way. The Wanahlosee Road, over which this drive will be made, traverses the divide between the Watauga and New rivers on the north, and the Catawba

and Padkin rivers on the south. A magnificent view is afforded of the upper watersheds of all these streams, a large portion of which will be rec-ommended for reservs. Stop over night at Watauga Inn, Blowing Rock. Oct. 29, Tuesday: Drive from Blow-Lenoir to Hickory or Salisbury. Examine the

water-power developments of the Whitney Company, near Salisbury, This is said to be the largest and one of the most interesting water power developments in the South.

HAD NO MONEY IN BANK

Vice President Welsh, of Pittsburg Bank, Denies Report That Mrs. Chadwick Had Money in Second National Bank.

Pittsburg Oct. 20 .- Thomas the Second National Bank, of Pitts- dogs. burg, to-night in an interview denied emphatically that the late Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwirk had an account of \$305,000 in the bank.

"The first time I ever heard of Mrs. Chadwick having a deposit in the Second National Bank," said "was when I read the Cleveland dispatches in the paper this morning. "She never had any money in the

bank; her estate has no money there "It is possible Mrs. creditors on reading the newspapers may entertain hopes of getting some money out of the estate, but they should not build upon the story that she has money in the Second Na-

How Mrs. Chadwick got the pass book of the Second National Bank, and who made the entries, cannot e explained here.

Some of the contents of the de position made by Mrs. Chadwick while in the penitentiary at Columbus, O., to A. Leo Well, of this city, attorney for Mrs. W. C. Jutte in the litigation which is pending against James W. Friend and James N. Hoffstat, have been made public. The deposition has been sealed, but it is said Mrs. Chadwick said Friend and Hoffstat loaned her various sums aggregating \$800,000.

AN ALABAMIAN ASSASSINATED. Contractor and Builder Found Dead With Two Bullet Holes in His Head.

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 20,-A special to The Advertiser from Evergreen, Ala., says:

William Henry Bridges, a wellnown contractor and builder of this place, was assassinated some time during yesterday afternoon or ast night in the woods about three had gone hunting.

is dead body, with two holes in the back of the head, was found this morning by a searching party who had gone out to look for

There is no clue as to the motive for the killing or to the perpetrator of the crime.

First Act of Philippine Assembly to Thank Uncle Sam. Manila, Oct. 20 .- The joint resolu

ion of the Philippine commission and he national Assembly was passed yeserday afternoon. It is addressed to merican people, through President Roosevelt, and conveys the boon of a national Assembly. Football Claims Another Victim.

20 years old, died to-night of injuri austained in a feotball game this a ternoon. Albrecht was playing rig guard. While lining up after

OUT OF THE CANEBRAKES ORGANIZATION IS FORMED A DECLARATION SHORTLY

Manual Training and Industrial School Effect Organization—Mr. J. P. Cook, o' Concord, Elected Chair-man of the Board—Members of Eight Committees Appointed—Ap-

plications For Position of Superintendent Now Being Considered—Committee on Location Will Visit Each Site Offered and Personally

Concord, Oct. 20 .- The organization

of the board of trustees of the Stone-

wall Jackson Manual Training and

Industrial School is complete with the

following officers and standing com-

mittees, all of whom serve for two

years: Chairman, J. P. Cook, Concord;

vice chairman, J. H. Tucker, Ashe-

ville; secretary, Dr. H. A. Royster,

Raleigh; treasurer, Caesar Cone,

Committee on superintendent: J. P.

Acting and auditing committee; J.

Visiting committee: Mrs. Burgwyn,

Committee on schools: J. J. Blair,

Committee on finance; Caesar Cone,

Tucker, Dr. Royster, Mrs. Cooper,

sion of all necessary information re-

School is a big one, but all the mem-

and substantial basis. It is a work

a broad prophecy to expect many able

men and women of the State at the

development of the plans of the trus-

LIBERIA'S RETROGRESSION.

Paris Newspaper Comments on the Black Republic Set Up on the

try Going Backward Instead of Pro-

Paris, Oct. 20 .- The Journal Des

Bats contains an interesting article

showing the constant retrogression of the Republic of Libers, which was

set up on the shores of West Africa

practically under the suspices of the

vere singularly magnanimous toward

the black republic. Attributing to it

an expansive power which it was far

all the streams emptying into the Li-

bank of the Cavally, throughout its

direction in the upper reaches to our

onjes of liberated slaves from the Unit-

European powers began to expand in western Africa. Yet despite this

America with their elements of civil

ization and the English language, ex-

ercised no influence upon the blacks

in the interior. To-day the number

far from the coast would simply be

unless some European rival stepped in and assumed control, a large terri

It must not be forgotten, however

tory on the flank of our p

of American Liberians does not ex-

berian coast, the St. Paul being

government.

treaty of 1892," says the article,

from possessing we conceded

Shores of West Africa-The

to the

that should and does appeal to

proper time to respond literally

Mrs.

Miss Shaw, Rockingham.

Erwin, of Morganton.

of its selection.

next three weeks.

tees.

American

Committee on industries:

Committee on buildings:

Mrs. Faison and Mrs. Erwin.

Mrs. Erwin and Mrs. Coble.

Cook, Concord; Caesar Cone, Greens-

boro, and J. J. Blair, Wilmington,

Saspect It. Special to The Observer.

Greensboro.

PRESIDENT SUMMARIZES HENT. OFFICERS TO SERVE TWO YEARS SO SAY THE FRIENDS OF BRYAN

With the Results of His Outing and Expresses Himself as Entirely Satisfied With the Resord of Three Bears and Other Varmints Slain—His Health Perfect and His Spirits Good—Shows That He is Susceptible to Flattery by His Reward of the Flatterer—Will Depart From Stamboul To-Day For Vicksburg.

Stamboul, La., Oct. 20 .- "We got iree bears, six deer, one wild turkey, twelve squirrels, one duck. opossum and one wild cat. We ate them all except the wild cat and there were times when we almost felt as if we could eat it."

This was President Roosevelt's summary of the results of his hunt on Bayou Tensas and Bear Lake.

He arrived at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the residence of Leo Shields, where he will be a guest until he departs for Vicksburg to-morrow.

The President came in on a full gallop and accompanied as he was by about a dozen of hunting companions, all mounted and attired in hunting garb, the cavalcade presented a tableau as picturesque as t was animated. The President is slightly more

bronzed than when he entered the wilderness 15 days ago, but notwithstanding this fact and the additional and Mrs. Cole, Statesville. circumstances that his skin as well as his clothes bear evidence of contact with the cane and other brush, he was never in better spirits Mrs. Reynolds, Winston-Salem.

SATISFIED WITH RECORD. "Yes, we got three bears," he idded, "all that we saw, and I think it is a pretty good record. I am perfectly satisfied." "Was the 'possum good?"

President was asked. "Absolutely the best dish we had except bear liver," he responded with a relish.

The President stood on the lawn in front of Mr. Shields' house, the centre of a group containing Mr. centre of a group containing Shields and a number of guests. In the distance were gathered the negro hunters, cooks, teamsters and messengers, while the horses stood in the yard and the dogs lay around licking their lacerated bodies, the result of long chases and contact with wild hogs, wild cats and other wild things,

The President declared that his health had been perfect and his appetite good. With the exception of a day or two lost on account of rain, he had been in the saddle every day from dawn to dusk. He declared that he had never in his life had finer sport.

THREE BEARS KILLED. The arrival of the party brought out the gact that a third bear had red to the acting and auditing com- despair of bringing anybody been killed on Friday by one of the mittee with full power to act. This Osborn brothers while it was in a flerce fight with the dogs.

Committee will have the benefit of a Mr. Bryan is generally considered a personal investigation into the sites seeker after the nomination or even The bear slain by the President was and plans of several institutions of

Kenzies and Alex Ennolds. They say to this, it is understood that this com- any enthusiasm upon the m was ex- mittee or a representation of this tremely sportsmanlike. The animal committee will personally visit all the had been chased by the dogs for sites offered for the location, in order three hours, the President following that the committee may be in possess-When at last they all the time. came within hearing distance, the garding merits of the several proposi-President dismounted, threw off his tions. It is further announced that going to within 20 paces of the beast. The dogs were coming up rapidly, President's with favorite "Rowdy" in the lead. The brute had stopped to bid defiance to the cawhen the President's fatal bers of the board are enthusiastic on bullet from his rifle went through the animal's eyes. With the little their carnestness, They guite natur-Welsh, Jr., second vice president of life left in it, the bear turned on the ally expect the hearty sympathy and The President then lodged a help of the good and benevolent peosecond bullet between the bear's shoulders, breaking the creature's institution started off on a healthy

neck. Other members of the party soon came up, and the President was so great heart of the State, and it is not rejoiced over his success that he embraced each of his companions. Ennolds said: "Mr. President, you are no tender-

foot." RESPONDS TO FLATTERY.

The President responded by giving Ennolds a \$20 note. Yesterday there was little hunting, cause the dogs encountered a drove of wild hogs, which are more ferocious than bears. One of the best dogs was killed by a boar. There were daily swims in lake by several members of the party, including the President. "The water was fine," he "and I did not have the fear of alli-

gators that some seem to have." The President will leave Stamboul to-morrow at 10 o'clock and will spend four hours in the afternoon at Vicksburg. VICKSBURG AWAITS PRESIDENT. Monrovian government the basins of

The Mississippi City Gally Bedecked in Honor of the Chief Executive Who principal. By its terms the right Will Speak there To-Day,

Vicksburg, Miss., Oct, 20 .- All ar- course became the boundary. Experrangements have been completed to sence since has proved that it was a entertain President Roosevelt in mistake to reserve so much territory Vicksburg to-morrow aftrenson. The for the future expansion of Liberia principal streets are a mass of color in reality the influence of the Monand pictures of the President are to rovian government, which we believed would extend from 200 to 200

The President will arrive at Delta, miles from the littoral is not felt more directly across the river from Vicks- than a day's journey from the sea burg, at 1 o'clock to-morrow after-noon. He will be met by a reception committee of 100 citizens and on board "The Holstein d'Olione mission the steamboat Belle of the Bends, the found that the Monrovian government party will proceed to Vicksburg. A was totally unknown to the savage drive over the city and through the people a short distance in the international cemetery will end at court jor. It also found that the Cavally, house square where President Roose- instead of running south, changed its velt will deliver an address.

pecial train on the Yazoo & Mississip-of Valley Reliroad and will go direct Republic of Liberia was created to Memphis where his train will be 1822 by philanthropic societies, which transferred to the Louisville & Nash- established on the Guinea coast colville Railroad. The President is, scheduled to arrive in Nashville at ed States. This was long before the 9:30 o'clock Thursday morning.

Charged With Blackmailing. New York, Oct. 20.—Hugo C. Voecks, arrested last night on the complaint of Raymond Hitcheock. the actor, on a charge of blackmailing, was arraigned in police court today and held in \$1,000 bail. Frank O. Tornberg, arrested with Voecks, was discharged, there being hothing show that he had, any co with the alleged blackmailing plot.

Manresa, Spain, Oct. 20,—King Alfonso had a narrow escape from a serious accident near here to-day his automobile. The King was d. While hinns up after a going over a temporary bridge ating the Liberian people in order found to be suffering of cerebral when the light structure collapsed that we may participate in the traditional trade of the intoral, which is capecially orthogo, which caused his death was precipitated into the water. His rich in palm oil and other tropical majority escaped with a wetting.

The Nebraskan Expected to Make Announcement Within Six Weeks as to His Candidacy For the Democratic Nomination For the Presidency—His Enemies Say He is Waiting to Find Out the Chances For the Party's Success—Until He Lets it Review What He is Color to De All Party's Success—Until He Lets it Be Known What He is Going to Do All Other Possible Candidates Will Not Come to the Front For the Nomina-

Observer Bureau, 1417 G Street, N. W., Washington, Oct. 26.

Confidential friends of William J. Bryan declare that within the next six weeks Mr. Bryan will make a formal announcement of his intentions with respect to the nomination for the presidency. These friends declare that they feel authorized to make this statement and to state the reasons which impel Mr. Bryan to this course, though they are unable to say exactly how the announcement will be made, whether in a letter to some friend or in one of the numerous speeches Mr. Bryan is making

throughout the country. The significance of this determina-P. Cook, ex-officio chairman, Concord; tion on the part of Mr. Bryan is con-Caesar Cone, Greensboro; J. H. Tucksidered that in neither 1896 nor in er, Asheville; H. A. Royster, Raleigh, 1900 did he make any announcement beforehand as to his candidacy, whereas in 1904 he specifically declared that he would not allow his name Weldon; Miss Shaw, Rockingham; to be used. It is thought by some therefore, that his declaration will be a declination to be a candidate. Wilmington; Mrs. Faison, Charlotte;

WHAT HIS ENEMIES THINK. On the other hand it is said here Mrs. Faison, Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. Bur- by Mr. Bryan's enemies that this angwyn, and Mrs, Cooper, of Hendernouncement from his friends is only a postponement in order to give Mr. Bryan time to find out the chances of Democratic success next year. These Mrs. Coble, of Statesville, and Mrs. say that three weeks ago his friends declared that within three weeks he would make an announcement as te Cooper, Mrs. Burgwyn, Mrs. Reynolds, his intentions and that now instead of it there comes another announce-Committee on rules: Miss Shaw, ment from his friends that it will be forthcoming after six weeks. These have their minds thoroughly made up By resolution of the board, at its meeting in Greensboro on the 8th, the that Mr. Bryan will be a candidate selection of the superintendent and if he thinks there are good chances the fixing of his salary is left with for success, and that otherwise he will the committee on superintendent with not. So according to their view anfull power to act. It is understood other significance is attached to the that this committee is now receiving expected announcement, that is: What a number of applications and is condoes Mr. Bryan think of the chances sidering them along with others who of Democratic success?

have been suggested as suitable per-CALLS TO DECLARE HIMSELF. sons for this most important position. As it is seen here and as the friends It may be a month or more before of Mr. Bryan who are responsible for this committee concludes its deliberathe declaration that an announcement tions and makes an announcemet will come see it, there are very good reasons why Mr. Bryan should openly TO PERSONALLY INSPECT SITES. declare himself. Even those The numerous propositions for the oppose the nomination of Bryan almit location of the institution were refer- his strength and openly express their

prominently to the front so long as personal investigation into the sites seeker after the nomination or even as willing to accept it. Nearly every killed on Thursday, and the killing the kind before coming to any final man who has been "prominently was witnessed by one of the Mc-decision as to location. In addition spoken of" has declined to look with his name so long as Bryan is in the way, Governor Johnson "Marse" Henry Watterson's "dark horse," declines to consider himself a possibility if there is a hope of having Bryan as the candidate and he declares that he wants Bryan nomcoat and dashed into the canebrake, this committee will take up the matinated. Senator Culberson told me a ter for final disposition within the few days ago that he was not a candidate and would not be, although he The work before the trustees of the appreciated the frequent mention of Stonewall Jackson Manual Training his name, and when he volunteered the statement that he believed Bryan would be nominated I understood. It the subject and nothing will dampen is thought by Culberson's friends that were Bryan to declare that he would not accept the nomination Culberson would not further decline to take his ple of the State to aid in getting this own boom seriously. The friends of Lieutenant Governor Chandler, who have established a press agency and made much polse about the Chandler boom, now admit that there is no chance for their candidate unless Mr. Bryan positively refuses to run. is said that even Chandler, who has never Jone anything or said anything to discourage the mention of his name for the presidency, is unwilling to go up against the Nebraska champion. And there are others. In fact, nobody is willing to run against Bryan in the convention and yet many

> Bryan to come out and declare that he will not accept the nomination. What the answer will be is awaited

Bryan's supporters and staunchest ad-

vocates express the fear that he could

not be elected. Hence calls are com-

ing from all over the country to Mr.

with much interest ZACH M'GHEE.

GOLD AND SILVER STATISTICS. Former Director Roberts Complete the Compilation-North Carolina's Loss of Gold.

Washington, Oct. 20 .- George E. Roberts, who retired from the position of director of the mint, on August 1st, 1907, has completed the compiletion of the statistics of the production of gold and silver in the various States and Territories of the United States for the calendar year 1906. Mr. Roberts estimates the production of gold in the United States during the calendar year 1906 to have \$94,373,800, as against \$88,180,700 for the calendar year of the principal 1906 of \$6,193,100. The principal Nevada's gain in gold was \$3,919,500; Oregon, \$75,200; Tennessee, \$22,300; Arizona,

\$55,800; Virginia, \$5,300. The greatest loss of gold in any state was in Colorado where there State was in Colorado was a decrease of \$2,766,700. North Carolina lost \$33,900

The President will then board a advantage, thus rendering a revision Carolina \$20,500, and Georgia \$71,100 pecial train on the Yazoo & Mississip- of the treaty of 1892 necessary. The The total production of silver in the United States during the calendar year 1906 is given as 56.517,900 fine ounces of the commercial \$38,256,400, as against 56,101,600 fine ounces of the commercial value of \$34,221,876 in 1905. The net gain in western Africa. Yet despite this the production of silver over that of priority the returning blacks from 1905 was 416,300 ounces.

Georgia Grocer Kills His Wife and

Brunswick, Ga., Oct. 20.-Crased ceed 15,000. Under the circum- by drink and jealousy, William Raistances to charge them with the or- ney, a young grocer, of this city, late by drink and jealousy, William Raiganization of a vast country extending last night shot and mortally wounded his wife. He then placed the revolver tion to arrest the progress of western to his head and fired, dying instan Michigan Carpenter Does Si

Boyne City, Mich., Oct. 20,-After between himself and his divorced wif Eldred McKee, a carpenter of Cadil-lac, shot and killed Gertrude McKee to-night and then sent a bullet